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# STATE WILL SUE FOR RETURN OF **EQUITABLE CASH**

Attorney-General Mayer Preparing to Follow the Report of Supt. Hendricks with Sweeping Action in the Courts Against Directors.

(Special to The Evening World.)

ALBANY, N. Y., June 21 .- Attorney-General Mayer, it is learned upon good authority, will, as soon as the Hendricks report is made public, begin proceedings to straighten out the affairs of the Equitable Life Assurance Society. These proceedings will be in line with recommendations contained in the report. The Attorney-General has a full understanding with the State Superintendent of Insurance, whose report will be made public to-night.

The second second These steps are likely to be takent To oust the men still in office in the Equitable against whom charges of wrongdoing have been made.

**MEET TO ACT** 

ONLY ON HOOKER

First Special Session Since

Evening World's Fight

on Franchise Tax.

The promoters of legislation who

Among the subjects promoted by these men were 80-cent gas, relief for the street-cleaners in New York, mortgage

tax and savings bank tax repeal. In-

To demand an accounting by the officers of the society.

To compel officers of the society to restore any moneys that are shown by the accounting to have been wasted or improperly taken. The retirement of James Hazen Hydo | and James W. Alexander as officers of LEGISLATORS the society will not save them from official action by the Attorney-General.

The report of Superintendent Hendricks will accuse Hyde and Alexandor of wasting some of the funds of the society, and upon this evidence the Attorney-General, it is said, will call for an accounting and demand that they return the money to the society or suffer the penalty of a prosecution.

Nothing that the Attorney-General may do, however, would affect the Ryan clique now in control. It would simply carry out to a logical end the cleaning up already begun by Chairman Paul Morton, Ryan's agent.

Contrary to public expectation and hope, the Governor failed to call on the Legislature when it assembled to-day in special session to investigate the Equita-

ble Life Assurance Society.

The fact that Hyde and Alexander
were to be ousted from office in the first time since 1899, when The Evening Equitable was known by the Governor World's great fight for the special the trump card franchise tax act was made and susplayed by Boss Odell on behalf of tained, the State Senators and As-Thomas F. Ryan. It was further represemblymen convened at noon to-day in sented that Ryan and his agents would extraordinary session on the call of deal with unusual composure. so thoroughly reorganize the society Gov. Higgins.

#### MORTON IS READY TO SUE DIRECTORS.

The report of State Superintendent stend of helping their cause by personal appeals through agitation, they discovered that they had hurt it. For surance Society will be given to the press at 8 o'clock to-night at No. 11 toward a particular subject, put aside Broadway. Those having knowledge of his preference in the fear that if he the contents of the report say that suggested one line of legislation he suggested one line of legislation he not the slightest inkling of its contents would have to open wide the door to Chairman Morton announced the ac-

ceptance of another resignation to-day, ing the Legislature in extra session Charles Francis Williamson, who has was read by the presiding officer of been drawing \$7,200 a year as Mr. each house at promptly 12 o'clock noon. Hyde's secretary, and who has been The message is as follows:
accused of being in reality the super"Warren B. Hooker, one of the Jusaccused of being in reality the superintendent of Mr. Hyde's country place tices of the Supreme Court of the State on Long Island, is the officer who has of New York, having requested a legisbeen allowed to quit. Several minor of-ficials were notified to-day that their Assembly having referred the said re-Fesignations would be acceptable, but quest to its Committee on Judiciary, and testimony having been taken before sames.

mr. Morton sfused to divulge their mames.

The impression is growing in Wall street that Mr. Morton is arranging to bring suit against every guitable Director or officer who profited by the manipulation of the money of the Society in high financial schemes.

The Evening World attempted to team trom Thomas F. Ryan to this son James Hasen Hyde will not be which the late Hed of trust by which the custody of three trustees, who were absolutely directed to keep it in their control until James Hasen Hyde will not be thirty years. James Hasen Hyde will not be thirty years old until next June.

Mr. Ryan refused to make any statement of the matter and his attorneys were equally reticent.

Mr. Ryan by a deed of onveyance were clusted by Mr. Hyde, his sister and the stock of \$2,500,000 in the face of the deed of trust. The trustees and their rights as beneficiaries under the deed of trust. The trustees reliquished their rights as beneficiaries under the deed of trust. The trustees reliquished their rights as beneficiaries under the deed of trust. The trustees reliquished their rights as beneficiaries under the deed of trust. The trustees reliquished their rights as trustees and their power to vote the stock for \$4,000,000 in the face of the Society and be reported by Mr. Hyde, his sister and the stock Mr. Hyde and his sister on a Chairman Morton, of the Equitable, was asked to-day whether former vice-President James H. Hyde will continue to hold office as Chairman of the Executive Committee of the society and he report having been made by it:

"Mad upon the recommand in its said committee, contained i

Mirectors of the Reading Railway Com- BY NAN PATTERSON: peny to-day declared a semi-annual dividend of 2 per cent, on the common stock. This is an increase of 1-2 per ividend of 2 per cent. on the common stock. This is an increase of 1-2 per cent. on the common while in prison and has since completed, insual dividend of 2 per cent. on the company's first prefered stock was also company to the tribute of the tribute of the supplies the building with electricity, when he accidentally touched a live wire with a screw driver, causing which supplies the building with electricity, when he accidentally touched a live wire with a screw driver, causing the company is the property of the prefered stock was also company to the company to t

## HUSBAND WAS ABLE TO CARE FOR HER TRUNKS

So Sure of His Ability to Look After Her.

The Brinsmade suit in which the plain-

Before the cross-examination of Mrs. Brinsmade Mr. Wherry, counsel for the cheek while firing from adjoining room, plaintiff, called William A. Belano, an Seven shots passed through his helmet. who had known Mr. Brinsmade at New Haven, when the defendant was a student in the Sheffield Scientific School of Yale, and at Paris, when he was studying at the Beaux

Mr. Belano testified that at college the defendant was far from clever and that in Paris he falled in entrance examinations for the Beaux Arts, talked tutored by the witness in descriptive

"Did his manner at college impress you as being rational or irrational? asked counsel for the plaintiff. Irrational

Q. Did the Brinsmades live well? A. I thought not. Q. Did they have enough to eat A. I thought not.

Life in Latin Quartier. Q. Did you see them in Paris when

he was studying there? A. I did. Q. Did you live in the Latin Quartier Q. Are the apartments in the Latin

Quartier luxurious? A. Some are or are not; some houses are palatial, some vate affairs, but did you occupy a palace in the Latin Quartier or had it fallen from its high estate? A. It was

at one time a palace. I occupied an apartment in it. A painting by Mrs. Brinsmade of a corner of her "poverty-stricken apart-ment in Paris" was identified by Mr. Belano and offered in evidence. The painting was of a comfortable, almost luxuriously furnished room, exceedingly

Mrs. Jessie Brinsmade, the plaintiff gowned in a dark plaid Eton suit, wear ing a dark green veil over her hat then took the stand for cross-examina tion. Mrs. Brinsmade is a remarkably pretty young woman, and stood the or-

Q. You have testified that there was much of Mr. B.'s conversation about and all need for legislative action removed. Every plea that could be must tered to defeat the movement for a probing into the Ryan management was probing into the Ryan management was bade to the Governor.

came to Albany yesterday in the hope of influencing the Governor to take up of the life of a great artist? A. I have, the matters were sorely disappointed by the Governor's decision to confine she said: "I do not mind being yery poor by the Governor's decision to confine the work of the session to Hooker.

Mr. Bergen then read a letter in which she said: "I do not mind being very poor a bit, but I do not want to be session to Hooker.

a bit. but I do not want to be a drag on Q. Then you knew of this condition of marriage two years before your marriage? A. I did not.
Q. When you wrote, on Sept. 14, 1896.
"I thought you might have come to take care of me," did you think him capable of taking care of you." A. I thought he might have taken care of my trunks, at least.

Q. Did you think him capable of taking care of you, as well as your trunks?
A. No, as sibsequent events proved.
Quoting fetters written in 1896, Mr. Bergen gained from the witness that she feared the result of over-study on Mr.

feared the result of over-study on Mr.
Brinsmade's health and that she envied him his opportunities to gratify ambition. She is also an arrist and wrote once that she did not want him to "get beyond" her.

Mrs. Brinsmade testified to her husband's irrational behavior in the search t for an apartment; that they finally settled in one for which she made the arrangements.

Left Him Through Fear.

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The cross-examination of Mrs. Brinsmade was continued at conclusion of the recess.

Letters written by the plaintiff and defendant on the occasion of the husband's nassing the examination for entrance to the Beaux Arts were read to the jury, and sketches and architectual drawings made in Parls were introduced to show that the defendant was mursuing his studies with competency Events were traced to the Brinsmades' removal from Parls to America, their residence here, and their final separation in Milbrook in March, 1904, the plaintiff testifying that the irrationality of her husband made her fear to live with him.

Q. D'd not your husband bring you to your mother's home because your house in Milbrooke was unfit for occupancy? A. No. I telegraphed my mather that I was afraid to stay in the house alone with him any longer.

Q. And he brought you up to town? A No, I brought him up.

Frothed at the Mouth.

great excitement, even frothing at the mouth.

Q. What was the nature of this froth? A. There was a thick lather.
Q. Yet you thought nothing of it. A. I thought that if it signified anything serious his brothers would have told me of it.
Q. You didn't think that this was of sufficient importance to prevent your marriage to him? A. No.
Q. I don't understand how you permitted yourself to become engaged to a man that frothed at the mouth, was inattentive and absent-minded and showed these peculiarities you have mentioned. How was it? A. I did not know at the time what these things signified.

SEND POSTAL TO-NIGHT

### SHOCKED AT DYNAMO.

Harry Klencht, twenty-two years old, who lives at No. 465 West Sixty seventh street, was severely burned about the face and hands while at work to-day at No. 243 West Fifty-third street. He was cleaning the dynamo, which supplies the building with elec-tricity, when he accidentally touched a

## SHOT NINE AND SELF WITH CASH LOADED RIFLE

Pretty Mrs. Brinsmade Not Madman Rams \$100 Bills Into Gun and Fires at 'Frisco Crowd.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 21 .- After iff, Jessie Brinsmade, is moving for an- holding one thousand persons at bay nulment of marriage on the ground of for two hours in Eddy street early toher husband's insanity, was resumed day, shooting nine people and defying to-day before Justice Greenbaum and a jury in the Supreme Court.

day, shooting nine people and defying the police, Thomas Lobb, a maniac, killed himself.

Policeman Patrick Kassane, shot in The insane man was barricaded in his room on the fourth floor of the United States Hotel, at No. 123 Eddy street. Lobb went to the hotel last night. This morning he began throwing furniture

He then began firing, using a shotgun muzzle of the weapon and fragments "very imperfectly" and when street. A big crowd quickly gathered. ndreds of men were afraid to pass hotel. Street car traffic was entirely pended after one car had been fired n and its windows broken.

suspended after one car had been fired upon and its windows broken.

Police Lieutenant Green rushed a squad of police to the scene, among the officers being five members of the crack rifle team of the department. They were unable to accomplish anything, however, as the maniac was strongly intrenched in his room and appeared to have an unlimited amount of ammunition. It was determined that he must be captured dead or alive and all the rooms adjoining tho one he occupied were filled with armed officers. A lively fusillade was begun through the door, transom and walls of the mad man's stronghold, to which he vesponded with remarkable rapidity.

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Officer Kassane attempted to peer through the transom when he received a charge of shot which disfigured his face and completely riddled his helmet. Then Officer Hutchins descended from the roof to the room window, while the other policemen made an attempt in force on the door. When Hutchins saw the maniac's attention was diverted he gave a prearranged signal by firing his revolver.

Hearing the report from an unexpected quarter, the murderous lunatic rushed to the window, which was open, and literally biew off the top of his own head. The brains and fragments of skull flew through the air into the street to the horror of thousands of spectators, who had assembled in the neighborhood, which is near the heart of the city.

Thomas Lobb was about twenty-eight

neighborhood, while the control of the city.

Thomas Lobb was about twenty-eight vears old. He apparentely was an Englishman and a stranger here. In his pocket was a card bearing the address of the British Consul-General, and a resident for haggage, showing that he British Consul-General, and a for baggage, showing that recent arrival in San Francis

### RIVER HARVEST FIVE DEATHS IN ONE DAY

and an Infant Are Taken Drowned from Water.

the rivers in this city to-day and were boys and an infant, were the that of one boy were the only identified. She was found in the Ensi River at the foot of Thirty-sixth street

at the foot of Dover street, East River Mrs. Brinsmade admitted that on her becoming engaged to Mr. B. he showed great excitement, even frothing at the mouth. to his death by accidental drowning.

SEND POSTAL TO-NIGHT For Circular and Views of EAST ELMHURST, N.Y. City THE IDRAL PLACE TO LIVE Comparison is challenged with every Half Hour from Herald square conby Bankers Land & Mortgage Corp MT MANHATTAN AVE. BROOKLYN

## POISON TO KILL MRS. ROGERS SENT WITH BRIBE IN NOTE

Missive Containing Deadly Powder Received by the Prison Superintendent at Windsor, Vt., and with It Promise of \$2,000 to Deliver Potion.

POISON LETTER FOR MRS. ROGERS

"Since there appears to be little hope for poor Mrs. Rogers, I feel constrained to make this appeal, even though this should be the last act of my life.

"I wish to make the effort to save the State of Vermont and all womankind from this impending disgrace. Will you listen and will

"Arrange for her to take the inclosed powder, and if the gallows are cheated next Friday I will mail you the day after two one thousand dollar bills (\$2,000), to be sent to you in such a way as to eliminate all suspicion.

"This is no hoax. Try me and see.

46 Should further details be desired insert a personal in the Boston Globe, addressed to 'Justice'." The letter bore no signature.

(Special to The Evening World.)

WINDSOR, Vt., June 21.—Again a mysterious sympathizer with Mrs. Mary A. Rogers, whose execution has been fixed for Friday, has attempted to cheat the gallows by sending her a poison to be taken if all hope of commutation or further reprieve is denied her.

A letter containing a poisonous powder was received to-day by Supt. Lovell, of the State prison here. The writer, evidently a person of education and intelligence, said that as there was no way of reaching Mrs. Rogers direct with the means of saving her from the ignominy of legal execution he would send the poison to him.

"And if you will see that she gets it in time to save her from th gallows," the writer went on, "I pledge myself to pay you \$2,000."

But for the fact that a very deliberate attempt to get polson to Mrs. Rogers was made the last time she stood in the shadow of the gallows. Supt. Lovell and the prison authorities might believe that this last comnunication is the work of a crank.

Mr. Lovell is convinced, however, that it is the work of a hard-headed, somewhat sentimental, person, and extra precautions will be taken from now on to prevent anything but her regular food getting to the condemned

Mr. Lovell figures that any one with taken before United States Circuit Court Mr. Lovell figures that any one with the presumption to approach him with such a proposition will not be balked by balkeds corpus at Brattleboro. Perone failure, but will seek a more pliable baps she had hope for the fuperson next time.

He believes that the offer of \$2,000 is

rand the letter is now in the hands of the Post-Office inspectors.

The envelope containing the letter chowed that the communication was mailed at Boston at 2.30 o'clock yesmalled at Boston at 2.30 o'clock yesm

and "personal." Rogers was outside her prison walls to-day, when, clad in deep black, she was her.

ture; perhaps she believed the new He believes that the offer of \$2,000 is move of her counsel in appeal-enuine and that his mysterious corre-pondent stands ready to pay that much forty-eight hours before the time fixed spondent stands ready to pay that much to any one who will supply him with the way to get the unfortunate Mrs. Hogers out of her misery.

An effort is now being made to trace was no bouyancy in her manner, no smile on her face. In fact, Mary Rogers A Woman, a Man, Two Boys the letter back to the sender. The never smiles these days, and the set, Federal authorities have been called in faraway look in her eyes leads many

erday afternoon. Besides being ad-dressed to Supt. Lovell, at the State ter to the street, where a carriage was way station. She was taken aboard For the first time in two years Mrs. the train by the Sheriff and closely Rogers was outside her prison walls to-

### and was identified in the Morgae as The Busy Man's Train.

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West Twenty-third Street

### HIS ATTEMPT AT SUICIDE MAKES **BRIDE-TO-BE ILL**

Former Admirer of Atlantic City Belle Jumps Into Sea on Eve of Wedding.

(Special to The Evening World, ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., June 21.— Prostrated by the act of James B. Reed, former admirer, who jumped into the sea last night when he learned definitely that she was to be married, Edna May Castner, a charming Atlantic City girl who was to have been married late today, is dangerously ill at her home here. Robert M. Sturgis, of St. Louis, the prospective bridegroom, is almost heartroken over the affair, which has caused a sensation here and is constantly at the hedside of his bride, whose condition is so critical that the ceremony can only take place against the advice of her physicians.

Reed, who is a Baltimorean and nember of the class of 1902 of Princeon, has partially recovered, and is now in the hands of the police, who fear the man may make another attempt on his life if he is released.

Both the bride and her family were deeply shocked over the affair, and state positively that Reed had no reason to believe that he was a favored suitor, or that the shock of the news of or that the shock of the news of the wedding would affect him in any way. Reed was to have been an invite guest at the wedding and the invite tion was found in his pocket when h was carried to the hospital unconsciou

### BY NAN PATTERSON:

"The Flower of the Tombs," a remark





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